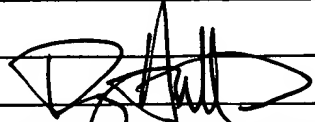


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		5,172,413		12/15/1992	Bradley et al.	
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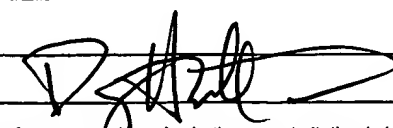
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		5,239,665		8/1993	Tsuchiya	
		5,241,671		8/1993	Reed, et al.	
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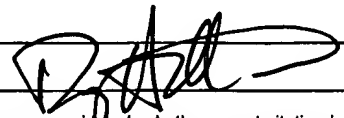
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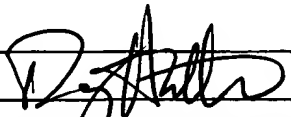
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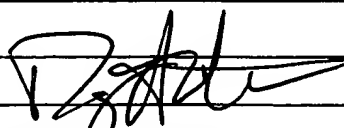
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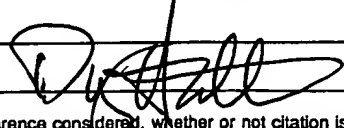
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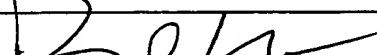
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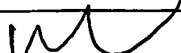

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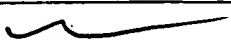
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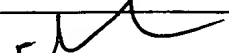



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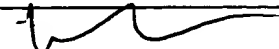

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